

## ABOUT THE STATE

## HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST FROM DIFFERENT SECTIONS

The Burlington Traction company used open cars Sunday for the first time this year.

Work on the dam at West Dummerston has been suspended on account of high water.

In the Lamouille river at Jeffersonville Richard Thompson caught a trout which weighed three pounds and measured 21 inches.

Essex Junction has voted to install a fire alarm system, and also to require a \$10 license from those who run automobiles for hire.

Miss Eva Macomber was elected town clerk and treasurer of Georgia at a special town meeting May 2, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of L. A. Post.

It has been decided that Miss Catherine Wilcox, the People's academy instructor, whose eye was cut when a tennis ball broke her glasses in a game at Morrisville, will not lose its sight.

By a house-to-house canvass, the ladies' aid society of the Rutland hospital turned into the treasury Monday evening the sum of \$400, and from other sources it is thought the sum will be made up to \$500.

Joshua M. Ferris, a former district passenger agent for the Rutland railroad, died April 27 in Carthage, Mo., where he was staying for his health. Death was due to diabetes, from which he had suffered four years.

The May festival at Springfield was participated in by 150 school children this afternoon, with dances and drills. The proceeds are to go toward equipment for the two public playgrounds to be maintained there this summer.

A. W. Woodward of Enosburg Falls, who is in his 94th year, attended the ball game Saturday at Bakerfield between the team from that place and the one from Enosburg. He ran his own auto and took with him a load of high school girls.

The Rutland school board at its regular meeting Monday evening fixed the salary of Edward S. Abbott, who leaves Montpelier for the position of principal in Rutland, at \$1,900 per year. Many of the teachers are to have increased salaries, which will add \$700 to the payroll.

The members of Dr. Mary B. Sherburne's Sunday school class at the Methodist church in Rutland are to institute a day nursery in connection with the church services and will care for the small children of the congregation, so that their mothers may be given the opportunity of attending service.

Business men of Rutland have circulated an agreement in which they promise to clean the sidewalks in front of their places of business on Sunday mornings, the same as any other mornings, and they also request the street department to clean the street in that section. This action is taken because the street on Sunday morning has presented such an unkempt appearance.

Because of the excitement incident to being granted a license to sell liquor and the preparations for opening his saloon, John P. Egan, Middlesex's only licensee, was taken to the insane asylum at Waterbury Tuesday. Since Saturday he had been growing more and more excitable and he is alleged to have pounded his hired man. Nine years ago Egan was in the asylum for six months, and two of his sisters have been in the asylum too. He is 35 years old, a widower with one child.

## INTERESTING STATISTICS.

\$2,163,173.59 Spent in Year for Educational Purposes in Vermont.

Early in March State Auditor Graham sent out to each town, city, village and incorporated school district in Vermont for a copy of its report for the last fiscal year. Reports or statements were received from all but two towns and almost all of the villages and incorporated districts. From these reports the auditor's office has compiled the following statistics, which may be of interest to the people of the state:

This tabulation shows that the several towns, cities and incorporated school districts expended for educational purposes, including the amount received from the state, during the last business year, \$2,163,173.59; that the several towns, cities and villages expended for highways, not state highways, \$757,154.25, but in this amount is included the distribution from the state treasury of the automobile maintenance fund; that the several towns, cities and villages expended upon permanent or state highways, including the amount received from the state, \$488,991.26; that the several towns and cities expended for the support of the poor, \$258,496.33; that the several towns, cities, villages and incorporated school districts expended for all other purposes except those heretofore enumerated, \$2,673,818.88.

The lowest tax rate in any town or city for 1916 is 60 cents, and the highest tax rate in any town or city is \$2.90. The tabulation further shows that the total bonded and not floating indebtedness of the several municipalities as of Feb. 1, 1916, was \$6,403,556.41.

The total grand list of the state for 1915, the latest available at this time, is \$2,514,490.78.

## Scarcity of Shellfish.

The guest planned up and down the bill of fare without enthusiasm. "Oh, well," he decided finally, "you may bring me a dozen fried oysters." The colored waiter beamed all apologies.

"Ah, very sorry, sah, but we's out ob all shellfish 'cep'n' aligs."

## Sure Signs.

One—Is Mat distinguished looking in his new suit?  
Two—Is he? Why, people often stop him in the street and ask him to change a ten—Yale Record.

## EAST BARRE.

Regular meeting Wachusetta tribe, 26, 19, Thursday evening at 7:30. Work. Adoption degree. Members please take notice.

## A Cough May Lead to Tuberculosis

Distressing and dangerous complications may follow if you neglect it. Even when so serious a stage is reached, Eckman's Alternative may bring relief. For more than twenty years it has been widely used in such cases with beneficial results. As with any medication employed in this trouble, the best results are obtained when the patient pays strict attention to diet and gets plenty of rest and fresh air.

Because of its easily assimilable content of calcium chlorid, this preparation is effective where a tonic up-builder is indicated. As a corrective of night sweats it has proved most useful. It may be tried with absolute safety, since it contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs of any sort.

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Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia.

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which develops beautiful qualities. Insurance is a contract which distributes beautiful qualities. A quantity of insurance represents any quantity of poverty. National Life Insurance Co., of Vt. (Mutual), S. S. Ballard, general agent, Rialto building, Montpelier, Vt.

## REGISTERED HOLSTEIN STOCK

On account of other business, in which we are separately engaged, that requires all of our time, attention and money, we have decided to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, '16 at the Rogers farm, in the village of Noyesville, in the town of Walden, Vt., about 1 1/2 miles from Walden Depot, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the following registered Holstein stock:

## 26 HEAD

This splendid herd is headed by KORNDYKE RAG APPLE DUKE, No. 107104, son of Rag Apple Korndyke 8th, No. 73416, the greatest bull in the world, which sold at public auction 2 years ago for \$25,000; dam, Miss Bontje Pontiac Korndyke, No. 162487; bred by Edgar F. Copeland.

Ada Rubicon De Kol, No. 284690; sire, Daisy Mechtilds De Kol, No. 160198; dam, Tidy Wilhelmene Netherland, No. 284689. Is six years old.

Ada Rubicon De Kol 2nd, No. 300686; sire, Alexander of Rubicon, No. 109342; dam, Ada Rubicon De Kol, No. 284690; is 2 years old.

Cabot Mercedes Wayne De Kol, No. 236164; sire, Chevalier Wayne, No. 48404; dam, Waterbury Mercedes De Kol, No. 108882. Is 4 years old.

Cabot Nellie De Kol, No. 236159; sire, Waterbury Belle Lad, No. 53965; dam, Waterbury Nellie De Kol 2nd, No. 108466; is 4 years old.

Daisy Pauline Colantha, No. 284695; sire, Colantha De Kol Netherland, No. 73614; dam, Daisy B. De Kol 2nd Pauline, No. 114259.

Daisy Pauline Inka Netherland, No. 284694; sire, Sir Pieterje Inka De Kol 3rd, No. 69667; dam, Daisy De Kol 2nd Pauline, No. 114259.

Duchess Clothilde Lassie 2nd, No. 236163; sire, Chevalier Wayne, No. 48404; dam, Duchess Clothilde Lassie, No. 116783. Is three years old.

Flora Wayne Lyons, No. 284653; sire, Chevalier Beryl Wayne Lyons, No. 137980; dam, Flora Wayne Wayne De Kol, No. 236160.

Josephine Belle Lady, No. 236161; sire, Waterbury Belle Lad, No. 53965; dam, Josephine Aggie Cornucopia De Kol, No. 267367; sire, Cornucopia Aggie Count De Kol, No. 133889; dam, Waterbury Josephine 2nd, No. 108465.

Lucey Segis of Rubicon, No. 284884; sire, Sir Netherland De Kol Beets, No. 160201; dam, Helen Rubicon De Kol, No. 284883.

Nellie Aggie Cornucopia, No. 252079; sire, Cornucopia Aggie Count De Kol, No. 133889; dam, Waterbury Nellie De Kol 2nd, No. 108466.

Netherland Buttercup Belle, No. 174303; sire, Pieterje Count De Kol, No. 47588; dam, Netherland Buttercup Queen, No. 78584.

Netherland Buttercup Belle 2nd, No. 250032; sire, Deane Mechtilds De Kol, No. 83424; dam, Netherland Buttercup Belle, No. 174303.

Secher Pieterje De Kol, No. 174302; sire, Pieterje Count De Kol, No. 47588; dam, Secher Lady Washington, No. 74902.

Waterbury Nellie De Kol 2nd, No. 108466; sire, Duchess Clothilde De Kol 12th, No. 36075; dam, Waterbury Nellie De Kol, No. 97044.

Waterbury Josephine 2nd, No. 108465; dam, Waterbury Josephine, No. 82460; sire, Duchess Clothilde De Kol 12th, No. 36075.

Walden Mercedes, No. 252080; born March 10, 1914.

Paul Pet Pontiac De Kol, No. 171844; born March 23, 1915; sire, Withoom Pontiac Korndyke, No. 61821; dam, Arletia of Elmhurst Farm, No. 176013.

Bull calf, Sir Pieterje Inka De Kol 4th, born April 2, 1916; sire, Colantha Vernon, No. 158874; dam, Daisy Pauline Inka Netherland, No. 284694.

Bull calf, Nellie Clothilde Lad; born March 27, 1916; sire, Sarcastic Dunraven Vernon De Kol, No. 135035; dam, Cabot Nellie De Kol, No. 236159.

Heifer calf, Netherland Mercedes Queen; born March 30, 1916; sire, Colantha Vernon, No. 158874; dam, Netherland Buttercup Belle 2nd, No. 250032.

Heifer calf, Duchess Wilhelmene; born March 18, 1916; sire, Colantha Vernon, No. 158874; dam, Duchess Clothilde Lassie 2nd, No. 236163.

Heifer calf, Mercedes Wayne De Kol; born January 18, 1916; sire, Walden Prince De Kol, No. 140784; dam, Cabot Mercedes Wayne De Kol, No. 236164.

## Auction Sale

## — OF — REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

As I am leaving for the West at once, I have decided to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, on the premises now owned and occupied by me, known as the Batchelder farm, in East Montpelier, in the Templeton neighborhood, 3 miles to East Montpelier village and about 5 miles from Montpelier, on

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1916 at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, the following described real estate and personal property:

## MY HOME FARM

containing about 60 acres of land, evenly divided into tillage, pasture and wood land; will keep 6 cows and team; small sugar orchard; 8-room house, well constructed; fair barn; never-failing spring water; good, productive land; some grafted fruit.

ONE COW; TWO HORSES, 1 6-year-old mare, weight about 900 lbs., a good worker and driver; 1 bay horse, 12 years old, weight about 1,000 lbs., good worker and driver; 8 hens and rooster.

FARMING TOOLS One-horse lumber wagon, 1 2-horse wagon, 1-horse sled, 2-horse sled, 3 open buggies, top buggy, 2 sleighs, plow, harrow, mowing machine, horse rake, hand sled, 2 robes, 2 drive harnesses, 2 work harnesses, road cart, hand saws, cross-cut saw, snow shoes, a lot of sawed lumber, both hard and soft; New Home sewing machine, nearly new; and a lot of household furniture, including beds, bedding, cook stoves, chairs, tables, rockers, etc.

Sale positive, without reserve or limit, and I have no further use for this property. Remember the date, Thursday, May 4, 1916, at 1 o'clock p. m.

LEVI BATCHELDER, Owner.  
D. A. PERRY, Auctioneer, Barre, Vt.

## Auction Sale

## — OF — PERSONAL PROPERTY

We, the undersigned, are two neighbors, and having decided to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, on

FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1916 at 12:30 o'clock sharp in the afternoon, at the residence of William Simoneau, known as the Scott place, situated on the road from Graniteville to Williams-town, 1 mile from Graniteville and 3 miles from Williams-town, the following:

3 GOOD YOUNG COWS Two of them fresh and the other to freshen in July; THREE HORSES, all good workers and drivers, ages 4, 5 and 7 years old, a good clean lot. THIRTY HENS, a small quantity of hay and straw, 1 2-horse farm wagon, 1 express wagon, 2 open buggy wagons and 1 top buggy, 2 measure shovels and 1 common sleigh, 1 set of double work harnesses, 1 single work harness, 3 drive harnesses, string of bells, 2 buffalo robes, blankets, etc.; plow, harrow, cultivator, grindstone, wheelbarrow, with farm and garden tools, such as chains, hoes, forks, rakes, shovels, etc., with a large lot of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE from both houses, including beds, bedding, tables, couches, chairs, stands, stoves, rugs, curtains, wash tubs, boilers and wringers, with glass, crockery, iron, tin and wooden ware, with many articles not mentioned.

You will find this to be a good lot of property and must be sold, as we are both leaving the state, Friday, May 5, 12:30 p. m. Terms at time of sale.

WILLIAM SIMONEAU,  
JOSEPH MARQUIS, Owners.  
C. F. SMITH, Auctioneer, Barre, Vt.

## Auction Sale

## — OF — 50 Head of Cattle

As I intend to sell my farm in the near future, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, on

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1916 at 1 o'clock sharp in the afternoon on the premises where I now live, known as the Lakewood farm, formerly known as the Bennett or Howes farm, situated 4 1/2 miles from Northfield village, on the east hill, so called, 2 1/2 miles from South Northfield, Vt., the following:

50 HEAD OF COWS AND YOUNG CATTLE consisting of 21 young cows, most of them have freshened in March and April, 8 of them are young Holsteins, some of them eligible to registry; 6 grade Jerseys, 3 Guernseys and 1 full-blood Ayrshire. This is one of the best lots of dairy cows in this part of the state, all looking well, young, sleek and clean. Also 1 three-fourths blood Holstein bull, 3 years old; 1-year-old Ayrshire bull, 7 yearling heifers and 18 young calves.

Also several cords of 16-inch wood and a pile of sled-length wood.

This is all good clean property and will be sold without reserve or limit.

I Will Also Offer MY FARM AND TOOLS at Private Sale

This farm consists of 320 acres of land, good set of buildings, cuts about 100 tons of hay, estimated to be 500,000 cubic feet of lumber and 1,000 cords of hard wood. A very desirable farm for doing a big business, and will be offered at a right price and on liberal terms. Sale positive, rain or shine.

Remember the date—Thursday, May 4, 1916, at 1 o'clock p. m.

P. D. LEE, Owner.  
C. F. SMITH, Auctioneer.

THE TRUSTEES FOR THE VERMONT STATE SCHOOL FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN sealed tenders for the construction of two dormitories, to be erected at Brandon, Vermont, under 2 p. m., May 22, 1916.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of A. L. Lawrence, architect, 135 College street, Burlington, Vermont.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved by the trustees.

TRUSTEES OF THE VERMONT STATE SCHOOL FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN  
John E. Fiddick, Secy.

## JEWELRY

When YOU want a piece of Jewelry, come in and see our splendid display.

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In gold, silver, or rubber. We save \$2.00 and up for full sets, broken or mutilated; we also buy old gold, silver, and platinum; mail them to us. We hold no stock, and we can get them in 24 hours. MENDLAW BROS., 818 & 820, 2nd Street, Barre, Vt. Branch office, 10 Central Avenue, 2nd Floor, 2nd Floor.

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MEDICAL AND SURGICAL DISEASES. PECULIAR TO WOMEN. OFFICE HOURS: 2 to 4 p. m. An up-to-date clinic in connection with the Park Theatre (Vernon's best photograph house) through drug store; proprietor has other business to attend and wishes to sell up-to-date stock; write for full particulars. Barre Drug Store Co., 237-239 North Main street, Barre, Vt.

## DR. LEWIS D. MARTIN

OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN. Office in Room 35, Miles Building. OFFICE HOURS: 9 a. m. to 12 m. and 4 p. m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

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## COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE

ESTATE OF JOHN W. McDONALD. The undersigned, having been appointed by the honorable probate court for the district of Washington, COMMISSIONERS, to receive, examine, and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of John W. McDonald, late of Barre, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the store of Moore & Owens, in the city of Barre, in said district, on the 15th day of May and 15th day of September next, from 2 o'clock p. m. until 6 o'clock p. m., on each of said days, and that six months from the 15th day of April, A. D. 1916, is the time limited by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at the city of Barre, this 26th day of April, A. D. 1916.  
VIRGIL E. AYERS, ALEXANDER DUNCAN, Commissioners.

## COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE

ESTATE OF MICHAEL W. NELSON. The undersigned, having been appointed by the honorable probate court for the district of Washington, COMMISSIONERS, to receive, examine, and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Michael W. Nelson, late of Barre, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the city of Barre, in said district, on the 15th day of May and 15th day of September next, from 2 o'clock p. m. until 6 o'clock p. m., on each of said days, and that six months from the 15th day of April, A. D. 1916, is the time limited by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at the city of Barre, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1916.  
GEO. J. OWENS, E. W. GORMAN, Commissioners.

## COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE

ESTATE OF NATALE BOTTEGGI. The undersigned, having been appointed by the honorable probate court for the district of Washington, COMMISSIONERS, to receive, examine, and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Natale Botteghi, late of the city of Barre, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the city of Barre, in said district, on the 15th day of May and 15th day of September next, from 2 o'clock p. m. until 6 o'clock p. m., on each of said days, and that six months from the 15th day of April, A. D. 1916, is the time limited by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at the city of Barre, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1916.  
G. HERBERT PAPE, JAMES MACKAY, Commissioners.

## COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE

ESTATE OF JANNETTE CUNNINGHAM. The undersigned, having been appointed by the honorable probate court for the district of Washington, COMMISSIONERS, to receive, examine, and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Jannette Cunningham, late of the city of Barre, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the city of Barre, in said district, on the 15th day of May and 15th day of September next, from 2 o'clock p. m. until 6 o'clock p. m., on each of said days, and that six months from the 15th day of April, A. D. 1916, is the time limited by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at the city of Barre, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1916.  
B. G. ROGERS, E. D. WALDO, Commissioners.

## PROPOSALS

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The right to reject any or all bids is reserved by the trustees.

TRUSTEES OF THE VERMONT STATE SCHOOL FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN  
John E. Fiddick, Secy.

## NOTICE TO PUBLIC

I wish to notify the public that on and after this date I shall pay no bills contracted by my wife, Maria Cecelia, or by my son, Giovanni Cecchini. Barre, Vt., May 1, 1916.

## ADVERTISE YOUR WANTS IN THE TIMES AND GET SURE RESULTS

J. W. DILLON. I represent seventeen of the largest and best Stock and Mutual Fire Insurance Companies. Ask for rates.

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at the City Auction Market SATURDAY, MAY 6 at 2 and 7 p. m.

A large line of new goods for the retail trade all this week at the CITY AUCTION MARKET.

O. H. HALE, Auctioneer

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The Times will publish Wants, Lost and Found, For Sale, To Let, etc.—short advertisements—at the rate of four lines for twenty-five cents for the first insertion and five cents for each subsequent insertion.

## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A two-tenement house, situated in the central part of this city and on a desirable residential street; this property is in excellent condition and is a good investment at the price; necessity compels the owner to sell at a sacrifice. Address C. P. No. 116, Mutual Real Estate & Ins. Co., Gordon block, Barre, Vt.

FOR SALE—Dry goods store with complete furniture and shoe departments in a live Vermont town, 5,000 inhabitants; no cleaner or better located stock in the state; spring line bought on the low market; you can save the rent in cost and make a tidy profit. Write "Store," care Barre Times.

FOR SALE—The entire real estate of the late A. R. and D. W. Thurston, situated at Nos. 107, 111, 113 Seminary street, Barre, Vt. For further particulars address Walter C. Rogers, trustee, 36 Cherry street, W. Somerville, Mass.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—1 have 3 cottages in one of the best renting localities in the city of Barre; would like to sell or would exchange for farm with stock. For particulars call or write E. N. Rock, South Barre, Vt.

GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO PURCHASE A DRUG STORE—Good business, in excellent location, in a wide-awake city of 12,000 population; only 3 other drug stores in city; lobby of Park Theatre (Vernon's best photograph house) through drug store; proprietor has other business to attend and wishes to sell up-to-date stock; write for full particulars. Barre Drug Store Co., 237-239 North Main street, Barre, Vt.